

## United States Department of the Interior

## BUREAU OF OCEAN ENERGY MANAGEMENT

Gulf of Mexico OCS Region 1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard New Orleans, LA 70123-2394

In Reply Refer To:

MS GM 266A OCS-G 28971

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Sanare Energy Partners, LLC 11 Greenway Plaza, Suite 2800 Houston, TX 77046 Attn: Sherry J. Gosnell

Dear Ms. Gosnell:

Your letter dated July 18, 2019, requesting cancellation of Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Pipeline Right-of-Way Grant Bond No. N-7001176, in the amount of \$110,000, was received by our office on July 22, 2019. This bond, conditioned to cover Right-of-Way OCS-G 28971, was executed on August 16, 2018, with Northstar Offshore Ventures LLC as principal and Indemnity National Insurance Company as surety.

Attached to and forming a part of Bond No. N-7001176, is Name Change Bond Rider, executed on February 4, 2019, which changes the name of the principal from Northstar Offshore Ventures, LLC to Sanare Energy Partners, LLC. The rider is effective November 29, 2018.

The Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement has assessed the decommissioning liability for OCS-G 28971 to be \$0. Therefore, the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management has no objection to cancellation of Bond No. N-7001176, which is considered cancelled without residual liability effective July 31, 2019, the date of final concurrence with the cancellation.

Should you need further assistance, please contact Kathleen Lee at (504) 736-5774 or boemgomrfinancialassurance@boem.gov.

Sincerely, Lloyd January

Bernadette Thomas Regional Supervisor

Leasing and Plans

cc:

Indemnity National Insurance Company

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Attn: Theresa Pickerrell

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## Via Federal Express

July 18, 2019

Bureau of Ocean Energy Management Lease and Financial Responsibility Section Attn: Ms. Kathleen Lee 1201 Elmwood Park Blvd. New Orleans, LA 70123-2394

Re: Bond Cancellation Request

Ship Shoal 202 R-O-W OCS-G 28971, Segment #17998 (Abandoned)

Supplemental Bond N-7001176 & Rider

Dear Ms. Lee:

Sanare Energy Partners, LLC (3520) {"Sanare"} respectfully requests the release and cancellation of Supplemental Bond #N-7001176 in the amount of \$110,000.00 representing the captioned Lease. Indemnity National Insurance Company is the Surety, with Sanare Energy Partners, LLC as Principal.

Sanare's predecessor, Northstar Offshore Group, LLC (3217) was responsible for the removal of Platform "A", Structure #23560, which was removed as of June 13, 2018, and the abandonment of this Right-of-Way. All work has been performed and the BOEM Lease Liability Assessment as of February 4, 2019 indicates a \$0.00 liability.

Should you require additional information, please feel free to contact:

Mr. Brian Macmillan at (713) 386-1046 or bmac@sanarepartners.com

Sherry Gosnell at (713) 386-1040 or sgosnell@sanarepartners.com

Or our Surety contact, Ms. Theresa Pickerrell at (502) 238-1246 or tpickerrell@smithmanus.com

Respectfully,

Sherry J. Gosnell
Assistant Secretary

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